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August 23, 2007

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM:  Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.  
Director and Health Officer

SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S USE OF  
DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT AMENDMENTS NUMBERS 7 AND 8  
TO CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION'S NOTICE OF  
COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT U90/CCU917012-07 FOR PUBLIC HEALTH  
PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE FOR BIOTERRORISM**

This is to advise you that the Department of Public Health (DPH) will exercise its delegated authority as approved by your Board on July 31, 2007, authorizing the Director of DPH, or his designee, to accept and execute any subsequent amendments related to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Notice of Cooperative Agreement (NCA) U90/CCU917012-07 that allow for the internal redirection of NCA's funds, permit the rollover of previous NCA funds, or that increase or decrease NCA funding up to an additional 25 percent for the funding period of August 31, 2006 through August 30, 2007, subject to review and approval by County Counsel and the Chief Executive Office, and notification of the Board offices.

Amendment Number 7 redirects funds within the current NCA and provides rollover of unobligated funds in the amount of \$1,808,207, increasing the CDC's total award from \$37,427,078 to \$39,235,285.

Amendment Number 8 changes the name of the Program Director from Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H. to Jonathan E. Freedman.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer  
County Counsel  
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